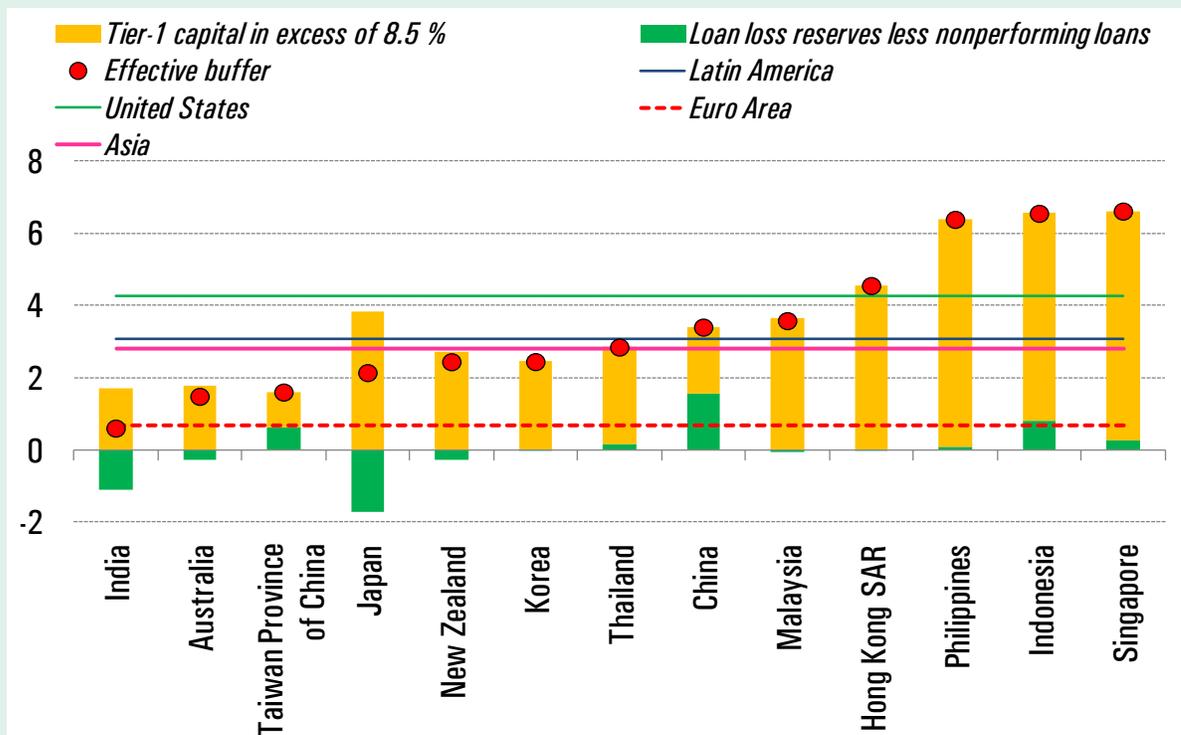


Figure 1.27. Selected Asia: Commercial Banks' Loss-Absorbing Buffers¹

(In percent of risk-weighted assets; asset-weighted mean)



Sources: Bankscope; and IMF staff calculations

¹ Loss absorbing buffers are calculated as Tier-1 capital in excess of 8.5 percent plus loan loss reserves less impaired loans as percent of total risk-weighted assets.